

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Osman Rathore *et al.*

Confirmation No.: 4390

Application No.: 10/715,745

Group Art Unit: 1618

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Examiner: Melissa Jean Perreira

For: ANTIMICROBIAL LENSES DISPLAYING EXTENDED EFFICACY,
PROCESSES TO PREPARE THEM AND METHODS OF THEIR USE

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Commissioner For Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE
DEPOSIT ACCOUNT THEREFOR**

Dear Sir:

Applicant(s) petition(s) the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action Summary dated June 20, 2007 for three (3) months from September 20, 2007, to December 20, 2007. A Response responding to the aforesaid Notice is being filed concurrently herewith.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 10-0750/VTN5001CIP/KAH in the name of Johnson & Johnson for the cost of filing this Petition. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Account No. 10-0750/VTN5001CIP/KAH.

Respectfully submitted,

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